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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.114

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1.	Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114						
		Previo	Previously submitted				
			Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR § 1.116 previously filed on . (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).				
			Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on .				

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		\boxtimes	Amendment/Reply under 37 CFR § 1.116		
			Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)		
			Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)		
		\boxtimes	Other: Associate Power of Attorney and Change of Corr Address; Return Postcard	respondence	
2. Miscellaneous					
		Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR §1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed three (3) months; Fee under 37 CFR §1.17(i) required)			

FEE CALCULATION:

				SMALL ENTITY		NOT SMALL ENTITY	
□ RCE BASIC FILING FEE				\$385.00	\$	\$770.00	\$770.00
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER RCE	HIGHEST NO. PAID FOR	EXTRA				0
TOTAL CLAIMS	16	21	0	\$9 EACH	\$	\$18 EACH	\$0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	5	0	\$43 EACH	\$	\$86 EACH	\$0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT				\$145	\$	\$290	\$ 0
ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME				\$55	\$	\$110	\$0
TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME				\$210	\$	\$420	\$420.00
☐ THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME				\$475	\$	\$950	\$0
☐ FOUR MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME				\$740	\$	\$1480	\$ 0
FIVE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME (May only be taken when filing RCE in lieu of Appeal Brief)				\$1005	\$	\$2010	\$ 0
☐ LESS ANY EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID				minus	(\$)	minus	(\$)
☐ TERMINAL DISCLAIMER				\$55	\$	\$110	\$ 0
TOTAL FEE DUE					\$		\$1190.00

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A response to the Office Action dated December 2, 2003 was due on March 2, 2004. Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) to extend the time

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	period for response from March 2, 2004 to and through May 3, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of two month(s).				
	A Notice of Appeal was filed . An Appeal Brief is due on . Applicants are filing this Request for Continued Examination in lieu of this Appeal Brief. Petition is hereby made to extend the time period from to and through comprising a total extension of month(s).				
	The Commissioner is hereby requested to grant an extension of time for appropriate length of time, should one be necessary, in connection with the filing or any future filing submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Off in the above-identified application during the pendency of this application. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any fees related to any subsection of time to Deposit Account No. 23-3050. This sheet is provided duplicate.				
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SHOULD ANY DEFICIENCIES APPEAR with respect to this application, including deficiencies in payment of fees, missing parts of the application or otherwise, the United States Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to promptly notify the undersigned.

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